THE

SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestick.

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ADMIRALTY OFFICE, *Aug.* 10

The following Advices from the East Indies *are certain, and may be depended on, being given by an Officer of the* East India *Company, just arrived in England.*

THE *Dartford*, Capt. *Barret*, Commodore, and *Preston*, Lord *Northesk*, of 60 and 50 Guns, seperated from the *Medway*, Capt. *Payton*, and the *Diamond*, Capt. *Mire* of 60 and 40 Guns, some time after they left *Madagascar*, where they had been for Water and Provisions; the two first went for the Streights of *Sunda*, and thence to the Streights of *Banca*, and the two others proceeded for the Streights of *Mallaca*; the Commodore and his Consort disguised their Ships by painting, &c. after the *French* and *Dutch* Fashion; after being some Time at Anchor in the Streights of *Banca*, appeared the three *French* Company's Ships laden from *Canton* for *Europe*, the *Dauphin*, Capt. *Butler*, the *Hercules*, Capt. *Depeila*, the *Jason*, Capt. Delamettrie; the *English* Ships hoisted *Dutch* Colours, and, as soon as the *French* came near, they lowered the *Dutch* Colours and hoisted *English*, calling on the same Time to strike their's for the King of *England*, which not being done, the Commodore gave the *French* Capt. *Butler* a Broadside, which he and his Consort returned, and a sharp Engagement ensued for the space of three Hours, during which the *Dauphin* with a Cannon shot carried away Commodore *Barret*'s Fore Rope, which disconcerted him for some Time.

The *Hercules* and *Jason*, by reason of the little Breeze and their Distance, could not in Time come to the *Dauphin*'s Assistance and jointly attack the 50 Gun Ship, while the other could not for some Time steer, which Circumstance might have given Occasion to the *Hercules* to escape, sailing better than the Rest; after a brave Resistance they were forced to strike, then the Commodore sent Officers and Men to take Possession, and to bring the *French* Officers on board his Ship, where he received them like a gallant generous Officer, shewing them all the Favour and Friendship depending on him, and usual in such Cases; the like good Treatment received the rest of the Gentlemen sent on board the *Preston*, Lord *Northesk*.

The *St. Louis*, Capt *Jeannes*, laden from *Canton* and bound to *Mauritius*, was taken some Days afterwards by Capt. *Commings* in a Privateer of 30 Guns from *England*

The two Chief Supra Cargo's, Messieurs *Margris* and *Le Val* with three second Captains and two Officers, were, by Orders of the Commodore, put on board the *English* Ships, and the rest, with the Ships, carried to *Batavia*

The other two Ships in their Way to the Streights of *Malacca* called at *Achin*, where they found a *French* Privateer, fitted out by the Company to cruize in the *China* Seas: they carried her with them through the Streights of *Malacca*, and in the Way took a *French* Ship from *Manilla*, said to be very rich. When we came through the Streights of *Banca*, these these two Ships were lying with the two Prizes disguised like their Consorts who took the 3 *French Chinamen*, of which they had no Account, but being told by us, that the *French* Ships had left *Canton* long before us, they thereupon resolved to go to their Rendezvous at *Batavia*

Extract of a private Letter from Genoa, *dated the* 24*th of* July.

The *English* Consul and all the Merchants of that Nation, that were settled here, are actually gone to *Leghorn*. We did all that was in our Power to engage them to stay, it being by no Means the Intention of the Republik to break with *Great Britain*; but it was all to no Purpose, the Court of *Sardinia* had found the Secret of engaging them to be gone, even before they received the Orders of their own Court upon that Subject, and this with a View to prevent the Offer made them by the Republick; of carrying on their Trade tho' all it's Dominions, in the same manner as before this unhappy War broke out.

Genoa, *July* 29. The 25th Instant the *English* Squadron appear'd within a small Distance of this Port; upon which all the Gunners were ordered to repair to their Posts, and we made all ready against an Attack. The same Day five Ships of that Squadron drew near *Savona* with two Bomb Ketches, and towards Evening they began to bombard that Place: The first Bomb fell near a *French* Tartane in the Harbour, and as she was laden with Powder, it was thought fit, to sink her, to prevent any Accident: Another Bomb fell on the Iron Gates of the Prison near the Governor's Palace; some pierc'd in the Suburbs and the rest beyond the Forest without doing any considerable Damage. The *English* continued this Work all last Monday, having then thrown in 108 Bombs: The Cannon of the Fortress likewise made a continual Fire on their Ships, but we don't know whether they receiv'd any Damage by it. The Squadron steer'd off at Break of Day.

Genoa, *July* 31. The *English* Squadron has withdrawn from our Coast, in order to seek elsewhere, as we are told, the Provisions it wants, as it must not hope for any more in this State after the Hostilities committed before *Savona*.

London, *Aug.* 8. 10

Yesterday Marshal Belleisle, and his Brother, set out for Dover, in order to embark for *France*; a late eminent French Author, in his Treatise of the Secret History of Persia, has given these two great Men this Character, in Page 120, 121 and 122 of the English Translation of that Book.

"There was at that time at the Court of *France* one Marshal de Belleisle, a Man who had a great deal of Wit and was not less Ambitious. He was not very young, and had passed all his Life time in the Profession of Arms, of which he had made a serious Study. He was brave, sometimes rash, but a good Officer and very understanding. Though he fatigued the Soldiers by frequent Reviews and Exercises, yet was very much beloved by them, because he procured them some Relaxations, by employing them in the Works of the Towns of his Government, and because he supported them against their Officers, for whom he was said not to have a sufficient Regard. He was lively, Obstinate in his Opinions, forming Projects, and wishing, with very good Reasons, to be raised to the Highest Rank in the Armies, in which notwithstanding his Capacity, he had been slowly advanced. His Family, tho' not ancient, was illustrious. His Grandfather M. Fouquet had been in the Ministry, and died out of Favour. This Disgrace did considerably lessen the Credit of his Family; but as it was very rich, it supported itself, and Marshal de Belleisle, who was become the Head of it, was much esteemed at Court. He was desirous to know every Thing, and omitted no thing that could acquaint him with the strong and weak Sides of the several Powers of Europe; which, together with the Correspondence he kept every where, gave him so much Work that he was said to have employ'd daily six Secretaries. He was Enterprizing, envied by some, thought by many not to know how to suit to his Projects the necessary Means to make them succeed. He had a Brother seven Years younger than he, also an Officer in the Armies of *France*, and who was not inferior to him with regard to Wit, but more sedate, more prudent, who examin'd Things more coolly, and before he enter'd upon any Enterprize, always consider'd how he could get thro' it. These two Brothers lived

lived together in a very good Understanding, and the Eldest was pleased to consult the Younger, whose Advice, 'tis said, prov'd often very useful to him.

The Marquess d'Antin, and Louis Erasme, two rich Ships from the South Sea, taken by the Prince Frederick and Duke Privateers fell in, on their Voyage home, with two French Men of War, of 36 Guns each, they offered them 10,000 *l.* each to convoy them to Cadiz, but happy for us they refused it; and last Night, at six, arrived an Express, that the above Prizes were safely arrived at Kinsale

It is reported the French have 10 Sail of Men of War at Brest and 100 Transports, in order for some Secret Expedition.

Extract of a Letter dated Hanover, Aug. 6

In my last I gave you a complete View of the German System. The whole Affair of the Election has been settled here, and only the Forms are to be transacted at Francfort. His Majesty's Presence here has done every Thing, and we shall soon see the Face of Affairs changed entirely in the Empire.

Several Regiments of Marines have receiv'd Orders to be ready to march on the first Notice, to embark on board the Fleet Commanded by Admiral Vernon.

Three Men of War are ordered for Kinsale to convoy from thence to Bristol, the Prizes taken by the Prince Frederick and Duke Privateers, lately carried into that Place.

Upwards of 200 Outward bound French West India Men, being upon the Point of Sailing; some French East India Ships being expected home, and also the Havanna Fleet, with upwards of 20,000 Seroons of Cochineal, and an immense Treasure besides some South Sea Ships: We hear that the Merchants of this City are going to make Application for Admiral Martin's Fleet continuing on its Cruize, as the most effectual Means to annoy the Enemy, and at the same Time to protect our Trade, which would otherwise be, for a considerable Time, exposed to their Mercy.

Extract of a Letter from Portsmouth.

Last Monday Admiral Vernon arriv'd here, on which Occasion the Bells rung the remainder of the Day, and at Night there were Bonfires and Illuminations in several Parts of the Town; and the next Day he went on Board the St. George a 90 Gun Ship and hoisted his Flag.—It is impossible to Describe the Joy that every Body express'd on the Appearance of so brave a Commander.—His Fleet consists of three Ships of 90 Guns, two of 80, four of 70, three of 60, and six of 50, besides several 20 Gun Ships, Bomb Vessels, and Tenders.

The Spanish Governor of Manilla, which is the largest of the Philippine Islands, fitted out four Men of War, one of 64 Guns and 960 Men, another of 50 Guns and 700 Men, a third of 26 Guns and 320 Men, the last of 14 Guns the Number of Men uncertain, in order to cruize for Admiral Anson and the Hastingfield Indiaman, after missing these they cruized from April to October, for our outward bound China Men, examining the Ships of all Nations that they meet with in those Seas, but very happily for us, notwithstanding all their Diligence, missed those they sought.

By Letters from Scotland, we hear, that a certain Nobleman is taken into Custody for High-Treason, and committed to the Castle of Edinburgh.

There is Advice, from Gibraltar, that his Majesty's Ship the Jersey, Capt. Norris, had engaged for three Hours a French Man War, of 74 Guns, bound for Cadiz from Carthagena, and carried away her Bowsprit, and shatter'd her very much, but she got off in the Night, and there is since certain Advice, that the French man is return'd to Cadiz.

Extract of a Letter from Edinburgh.

Advices from so many parts agree, the young Chevalier has embark'd, that there is no room to Doubt its Truth, but where he is design'd is only conjecture; mean time People here are Sensible of the Folly of any Scheme to invade Britain with such pitiful Force as he carries along with him, that he is made a mere Jest And as to any Assistance which he can find, in case of Landing, 'tis not to be believed that he'll have the least; the memorable 1715, is not yet forgotten, and the Disposition of the People is so alter'd, by the intervention of many concurrent Causes, that it is not to be thought the least Appearance would be made.

The French have detained all our Smuggling Vessels upon their Coasts for some Time past.

Those who landed the young Chevalier in the Island of Mull have done very Judicially, that Island being over against Fort William, one of the strongest places in North Britain, which to be sure he is to take with his three hundred well dress Men

It is said that there are about Seventy or Eighty Warrants gone to Scotland, to secure some persons who are suspected of holding Correspondence with the Pretender's Son.

We hear that Marshal Belleisle and his Brother, who set out last Wednesday, for Dover, in order to Embark there for Calais, have given their Parole of Honour that they will not serve against his Majesty nor any of his Allies, until the King of France has executed the Cartel of 1743, but will even come back to England if that Cartel should not be Settled.

On Thursday last came to Spithead a Dutch Man of War, with three Transports, having on Board Naval Stores and Provisions for three Ships, viz. two of 54 Guns in Portsmouth Harbour, and one of 74 at Spithead.

Last Friday Adm. Vernon in the St. George, a 90 Gun Ship, hoisted his Flag on board the Princess Royal. At the same Time Admiral Stuart hoisted his Flag on Board the St. George.

Admiralty-Office, Aug. 17. Sir *Peter Warren*, in the rate Instant, in the Morning, Vice Admiral *Martin*, in the *Edinburgh*, with the *Yarmouth*, *Prince Frederick*, *Hampton Court*, and *Gloucester*, and the *Hinchingbrook* and *Tavistock* Sloops, anchor'd in *Plymouth* Sound; and brought in with them a *French* Man of War called the *Panther*, of 20 Guns and 260 Men, commanded by M. *Kerazret*, of the Order of *St Louis*; a small *French* Privateer Schooner quite new, and six Days out from *Bayonne*, of 64 Men, two Carriage and 12 Swivel Guns, and a *French* Merchant ship called the *St. Paul*, belonging to *Rochelle*, from *Leogane* and *Havanna*, laden with Sugar and Indigo, with two *Spanish* Officers Passengers, viz. Don *Feliz Zaldran*, Knight of *Malta*, Captain of the *Carlos* sunk at *Carthagena*, and Don *Francisco*, Captain of a Frigate.

South-Carolina.

By His Excellency JAMES GLEN, *Esq; Captain-General, Governor, and Commander in Chief in and over His Majesty's said Province.*

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stood prorogued to Wednesday the 6th Day of this Instant *November*. And as a sufficient Number of the Members of the Commons House of Assembly to constitute a House of Assembly, did not appear on that Day; I have thought fit, by and with the Advice of His Majesty's Honourable Council, to issue this my *Proclamation*, further to prorogue the said General Assembly, to *Tuesday* the *Third* Day of *December*, to be then held at *Charles-Town*, for the Dispatch of the Publick Business.

Given under my Hand and the Great Seal of this His Majesty's Province, at the Council-Chamber, the 11th Day of November, *Anno Dom.* 1745, *and in the 19th Year of His Majesty's Reign.*

JAMES GLEN.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN CHAMPNEYS, *Dep. Secretary.*

GOD SAVE THE KING.

CHARLES-TOWN. November 11.

On Wednesday the 30th of *October* last, being the Anniversary of His Majesty's Birth Day, the Foundation of the Parish Church of *Prince George Winyaw*, was laid, where was present the Commissioners, Church Wardens and Vestry-Men, with many of the Parishioners. The Building is to be finished in 9 Months, and is carrying on with great Dispatch.

Last Friday Night the Rev. Mr *Whitefield*, and Madam his Spouse, arrived in Town, from the Northward. On Sunday he preach'd twice in Mr. *Smith's* Meeting, and early on Monday Morning set out for the *Orphan House* in *Georgia*.

Custom

CUSTOM-HOUSE, CHARLES-TOWN,

Entered Inwards.

Brigt. Pretty Betsey, Francis Donovan, from Barbados.
Schooner Mary Anne, John Thompson, from Providence
Schooner Kouli-Kan, Jonathan Wickham, from Cape Fear.
Sloop Louisbourg, James Robins, from Boston.
Sloop Fireball, Thomas Barnes, from New-York
Sloop Endeavour, John Conyers, from Turk's Island.
Sloop Endeavour, Joshua Ingraham, from Rhode Island.
Sloop Black Jack, Benjamin Leybourn, from Bermuda.

Entered Outwards.

Snow Seaborse, Thomas Jordan, for Oporto.
Brigt Pretty Betsey, Francis Donovan, for Barbados.
Sloop Mary, Amos Minor, for St. Christophers.
Sloop Endeavour, Joshua Ingraham, for Rhode-Island.

Clear'd for Departure.

Brigt. Loyalty, Peter Saunders, to Poulton.
Schooner Georgia Packet, James Ramsay, to Frederica.
Schooner Dorchester, John Birchall, to Providence.
Sloop Elizabeth, Peter Gibbs, to Antigua.
Sloop Pearl, John Morgan, to Jamaica.
Sloop Carolina John Quermerhorne, to New York.
Sloop March, David Conyers, to Barbados.

Mr. *Timothy*,

IN Answer to your Gazette of the 4th Instant, there is one Capt. *De La Chappelle*, who had the Misfortune to be cast away on the 5th of *May* last upon the *Silver Keys*, he was a Manager of an Indigo Work on the Island of *St. Domingo*, and by the Permission of his Excellency Governor *Glen*, has Leave to stay in this Province, in order to teach any Person who is inclined to make Indigo

He gives Notice to the Publick, that he can't give any one Instructions to make Indigo, because it would hinder him of a Living, but says if the Gentlemen of the Assembly will allow him a reasonable Salary for his Subsistance, he will not only oblige himself to give Instructions in Writing to the Publick in an easy and familiar Method of making Indigo, from the cultivating of the Ground to its Perfection, and further obliges himself to erect an Indigo Work of his own, to shew those who are willing to learn the Manner of cultivating that Herb, and solidly to erect the Basons, Batteries, &c. and make Indigo in its Perfection.

If any Planter has a Design to erect any considerable Indigo-Work, and wants Instructions in carrying on the same, the said Capt *De La Chappelle* is to be spoke with at Mr. *John Bennet's* on the Bay next Door to Col *Beale's*, but in Mr *Bennet's* Absence from Town enquire at the Printer's.

EXPORTED from this Place, since the *First* Day of *November*, 1745

Rice, 651 Barrels. Pitch, 59 Barrels. Turpentine, 20 Barrels. Corn and Pease, 3,062 Bushels. Beef and Pork, 22 Barrels.

PRICE of Goods of this Country Produce.

New Rice, 17 *s.* 6 *d.* and old Rice, 12 *s.* 6 *d.* *per* 100 *wt.*	Corn, 10 *s.* 0 *d* *per Bushel.*
Pitch, 30 *s.* 0 *d.* *per Barrel.*	Pease, 10 *s.* 0 *d.* *per Ditto.*
Tar, 25 *s.* 0 *d.* *per Barrel*	Staves, 15 *l.* *per Thousand.*
Turpentine, 10 *s* 0 *d* *Ditto*	Turp. Oyl, 15 *s.* *per Gallon.*
	Rezin, 10 *s.* 0 *d* *per* 100 *wt.*

Advertisements.

RAWLINS LOWNDES, *Provost-Marshal*, gives this publick Notice, that none of his Deputies are authorized by him to receive (on any Pretence whatsoever) any Money or Debts on any Execution or otherwise. And he hereby forbids any Person paying them any (except his Fees on Mesne Process) unless they have his Instructions in Writing, under his Hand; for he will not be answerable for any Debts or Money received by them contrary to this Advertisement

Rawlins Lowndes, *P. M.*

THE *House belonging to Mr.* William Cattell, in Charlestown, *is to be let.* *Enquire of*

Childermas Croft.

A Young Negro Wench, who is an extraordinary good Seamstress, and can wash and iron tolerably well, to be sold. Enquire of

James Wedderburn.

RUN AWAY, *a Mulatto Fellow named* George, *lately belonging to the Estate of* Richard Wright, *Esq; deceased, he is short, well set, and 20 Years of Age, speaks good* English, *and had on when he went away a brown cloth pair of Breeches with brass Buttons, and a spotted Linnen Shirt. Whoever apprehends the said Fellow, and brings him to the Subscriber or to the Warden of the Work House in* Charlestown, *shall have 3 l. Reward.*

William George Freeman.

TO BE SOLD *at publick Vendue, at the Plantation wherein I now live, within a Mile of* Richard Waring, *Esq; on Thursday the 28th Instant* November, *at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, a choice parcel of Slaves, viz. Bricklayers, Sawyers and Coopers, likewise very good House-Wenches and very likely Boys and Girls. Credit to be given 'till the 28th Day of* January *next, with good Security, as shall be required, All Sums under 20 l. to be paid on the Delivery.*

William Dewe.

ALL Persons indebted unto the Estate of Alexander Smith *of* Charlestown, *Taylor deceased are hereby desired to discharge their respective Debts on or before the first Day of* December *next ensuing, otherwise they may expect to be sued without further Notice. And all who have any Demands on the said Estate, are likewise desired to send in their Accounts, properly attested, to the Executors after named. And whereas the said* Alex. Smith *in His Life Time drew several Orders payable to his Creditors, some of which may yet be unsatisfied, the Executors request the Favour of all Persons to whom such Orders were made payable, to send them an Account of such Orders, the better to enable them to close the Administration of the said Estate.*

James Michie } *Executors.*
John Crokatt }

RUN AWAY *from me, a Negro Man named* Bristol, *pretty old, lame in one Hip, walks limping, and is used to go to my Plantation in* Goose-Creek, *or to Mr.* Wm. Roper *in* Charlestown, *shall receive 40 s. Reward.*

Thomas Wright.

STRAY'D *into the Plantation of Mr* Francis Montgomery, *(or Mrs.* Picke's) *at* Black River, *a dark bay Horse, about 10 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock* C *with a Cross join'd to the lower part of it. Any Person owning the said Horse may apply to*

William Whitesides.

A *Stray'd Horse between* 12 *and* 13 *Hands high, about* 7 *Years old, branded on the off Buttock* I *and on the off Shoulder with a block'd Brand, he has several white Spots on his Buttock. Any Person claiming the said Horse may apply to*

Peter Taylor.

ALL *Persons who are indebted to the Estate of* Alexander Maine, *deceased, for Goods bought at publick Vendue or otherwise, are desired to discharge their respective Debts to* Isabella Maine *Administratrix, or they will be sued for the same.*

Isabella Maine.

BROUGHT *to the Work-House in* Charlestown Town *October* 23*d*, 1745 Sampson, *a run away Negro Fellow, belonging to Mr.* Palmer *at* Combahee, *taken up by Deputy* Watkins

RUN AWAY from the Subscriber, a Mulatto Apprentice Boy named *William Agot*, about eighteen Years of Age, had on when he went away a blue Cloth Jacket, a pair of worsted ribb'd Hose, and an old Beaver Hat. Whoever apprehends the said Apprentice Boy, so that his Master may have him again, shall have 10 *l.* Reward, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

Thomas Yeo.

Who has a Tobacco Engine with the Sign, Press, Draws and all its other Appurtenances, to dispose of.

JUST IMPORTED, and to be sold cheap, Variety of *Scotch* shirting, sheeting, and check'd Linnens, Sail Cloth and Cordage, Men's knitted Thread Hose, Bed Ticken, Hamells and Hardens, Handkerchiefs, Diapers, Bohea Tea and Loaf Sugar, Threads, Felt Hatts, Coals, fine Salt, and *Oporto* Wine, &c.

STEAD & EVANCE.